

"NOT A CENT FOR LEGISLATORS," SAYS KERENS

Senatorial Candidate Tells Lieutenants He Will Meet Legitimate Expenses, but Will Permit No Questionable Methods.

NIEDRINGHAUS IN LEAD, BUT SHORT OF MAJORITY

Kansas City Republican Leaders Take Charge at Kerens Headquarters and Complain of Rival's Use of Committee Machinery.

ESTIMATED STRENGTH OF THE CANDIDATES.

Niedringhaus	35 votes
Kerens	20 votes
Parker	10 votes
Warner	1 vote
Dyer	2 votes
Noncommittal	24 votes
necessary to secure caucus nomination	47 votes

Homer D. Mann, president of the City Council of Kansas City, came to St. Louis today to take charge of the senatorial headquarters of Col. R. C. Kerens at the Planters Hotel.

With Mr. Mann is T. R. Marks, secretary of the Republican committee of Jackson County, who will serve as secretary at the Kerens headquarters.

"Up our way," said Mr. Mann, "everything is Kerens. I believe it is safe to say that the colonel has now more than thirty-five votes assured."

Col. Kerens engaged additional rooms at the Planters during the morning, and both he and his lieutenants will spend their time there day and night until they remove to Jefferson City, just before the opening of the legislature in January.

Within a few days Col. Kerens will dispatch emissaries to various parts of the state. In outlining his plans to these gentlemen a few days ago Col. Kerens made this statement:

"I am making the fight for the senatorship because I believe I am entitled to it. But I want to win by honorable means. Ugly charges have been made from unfriendly sources, and I want to say here and now that under no circumstances will anything be done to cast discredit upon my candidacy.

"I am willing to stand all legitimate expenses, and pay every bill promptly. At the same time I desire it understood that no money shall pass into the hands of any member of the legislature.

"Again, I want to caution you about entering into acrimonious discussions with the friends of rival candidates. Let the fight be made upon broad, liberal lines, smothering the entire eligibility of each opponent and saying nothing that would reflect against the character of any aspirant."

While the relations existing between Messrs. Niedringhaus and Kerens is outwardly amicable, considerable bitterness is creeping into the situation.

For example, the Kerens men are vigorously complaining of the Niedringhaus managers using the rooms paid for by the Republican state committee in the Commercial building as their headquarters.

They also object to Joseph McCoy, secretary of the Republican state committee, using the stationery of the committee and his own official influence to secure votes for Niedringhaus.

When asked concerning these matters, Mr. Mann said:

"It is known that literature in favor of a senatorial candidate is being circulated or stationery which belongs to the state committee. Moreover, the state committee is paying the salary of a secretary who is now working for a candidate."

"I am as much a part of the state committee as Mr. McCoy is, and to that organization Col. Kerens contributed \$200. While we consider the tactics of McCoy and other state committee officials unfair to Col. Kerens, there is nothing to do but wait."

BAD WEATHER AFTER CLOSING

Hardly will the star-like lights of the World's Fair go out for the last time before rain, wind and cold weather, which have been little known in St. Louis during the World's Fair, descend upon the city.

The prediction is made by the local weather forecaster that perhaps tonight, or at any rate tomorrow, rain will fall, and that a few hours later there will be a decided drop in the temperature. It is declared, however, that there will be no rain until after midnight. The official forecast is:

"Increasing cloudiness, with rain Friday or possibly late tonight; colder Friday afternoon or night. Southerly winds, shifting to northerly Friday; minimum temperature tonight will be above freezing."

The rain will come from Colorado and Kansas, and when it passes the cold weather which has been prevalent in the upper lake regions for 48 hours will press southward, possibly giving some snow in the extreme northern part of Missouri.

Scene of Murderous Assault on the "Gentleman of the Bluffs" Near Kimmiswick Which Now Is Thought to Have Been Made by an Old Enemy



MYSTERIOUS STRANGER THOUGHT TO FIGURE IN MURDEROUS ATTACK

Detectives Find Clues in Attempted Killing at Kimmiswick, but Motive for Crime, Whether Robbery or Revenge, Is Not Known.

Mysteries multiply as the attack Tuesday evening upon Frederick L. Drake, lone occupant of his big home on the Mississippi river bluffs, one mile north of Kimmiswick, Mo., 20 miles south of St. Louis, on the Iron Mountain Railroad, is investigated.

Investigation proves that burglary was added to the attempt at assassination, but it does not show that burglary was the chief motive. On the contrary, it seems to be proven that it was an afterthought, either due to cupidity or a desire to conceal the real motive.

The theory at first entertained, that Drake was the victim of tramps, is not borne out by recent developments. The fact that one of the assailants used a shotgun is declared to disprove the tramp theory, for tramps do not carry shotguns.

Investigation also shows that at least two men made the attempt at assassination, although it does not show that more than one committed the subsequent robbery.

It is also shown that the would-be assassins, beside beating or chopping their victim as he opened the door of his home in response to their knock, was shot at, although the condition of the patient, now at Alexian Brothers' Hospital in St. Louis, does not show that any of the shots took effect.

The presence of a mysterious stranger in Kimmiswick Wednesday night, when he was ferried across the river to the Illinois shore, and the discovery of a peculiar heel print in the yard around the house, are other interesting revelations of a day's search for solutions of the mystery.

When to this is added rumors, some of them repeated as statements coming from lips of the victim, of Drake's reasons for leaving his home near Natchez, Miss., eight or nine years ago, and the presence of the photograph of a beautiful woman on the mantel of Drake's living room, it is small wonder that the people of Kimmiswick and the neighborhood are widely divided in their theories as to the motive for the attempted killing, and that while some of them adhere to their belief that it was robbery, others declare that it was revenge.

Drake himself is still unable to speak, although his condition shows improvement. His tongue is not destroyed, as was at first believed, but is so badly swollen that it will be several days before he can use it. He has been rational ever since the attack, and has, when his physicians would permit, written on pads of paper enough to give some help to those who are trying to solve the case.

His knowledge of what happened is meager, however, and does not clear up any of the important points. If he has any idea that any other motive than robbery prompted his assailants, he has given no sign of it.

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DIAZ'S SEVENTH INAUGURATION AS PRESIDENT

Ramon Corral Becomes Vice-President at the Same Time and All the City Devotes Itself to the Pageants.

CITY OF MEXICO, Mex., Dec. 1.—The inauguration of Porfirio Diaz as President of the Republic of Mexico for the seventh time and of Senator Don Ramon Corral as Vice-President took place today in the hall of the chamber of deputies under the most auspicious circumstances.

Preparations for the inauguration have been going on ever since the election, June 7, but have actively extended over a period of about a fortnight, beginning with the grand ball given in honor of the republic, fired a presidential salute and flags were hoisted over all public buildings.

The principal streets and edifices and residences were decorated profusely with arches and national flags, freely interspersed with the flags of foreign nations.

The features of the street decorations were the two allegorical arches over the Paseo de la Reforma, the principal street of the capital, representing "Peace" and "Glory." These arches were greatly admired on account of their artistic construction.

There was a huge procession, at the head of which rode many members of the local police force.

The pageant was made up of thousands of federal troops, reserves, bands, societies, political organizations and many prominent political personages, including the governors of the states comprised in the union.

The procession proceeded to the Hall of Congress, where, amid great enthusiasm, the president and vice-president were formally notified of their election and took the oath of allegiance.

An exchange of felicitations between the president and the governors, the foreign diplomatic representatives and the prominent citizens who had received invitations went to a relieving stand where they witnessed the passing of the procession en route to the Castle of Chapultepec, where it was dispersed.

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GIRL WHO KICKED ANOTHER'S ANKLE HELD BY POLICE

She Was Waiting in Line at Theater Box Office to Witness "First False Step" When She Kicked.

Instead of spending Thursday at the World's Fair, as she had planned to do with several of her young companions, and enjoying the glories of the Francis day celebration to which she had looked forward eagerly all week, Lily Clark, a girl of 14 years, who lives at 1717 Biddle street, is confined in a room at the House of Refuge on the charge of disturbing the peace.

According to the police, Lily's offense consisted of kicking on the ankle Annie Smith, 16 years old, of 1116 North Eleventh street.

Annie Smith was not hurt, nor is there a mark to show that the slightest injury was inflicted.

Lily did no work Wednesday afternoon and she decided to go to an uptown theater.

In the line waiting to buy a ticket was Annie Smith, whom Lily had never seen before.

"This girl," said Lily to the police, "just wouldn't take her eyes off me. At first I thought she was the leading lady in the 'First False Step,' the show I went to see. But when she kept looking I turned to her and asked her who she was looking at. She said she was looking at me."

"What are you looking at me for?" I said.

"Then she said: 'For the same reason that you are looking at me.'"

"Then we had some more words and she pulled my hair. When she grabbed my hair I kicked her ankle."

"I was about to kick her again when two policemen came along and arrested me."

Lily passed the night in the detention room at the Four Courts.

The young prisoner begged pitifully to be released, but the police held her.

This youngster has given us trouble before," declared the desk sergeant at the Central district station, "and we are going to make her answer for it this time."

Then he turned to a policeman and gave orders to "have Lily Clark taken down with the next load."

The patrol wagon backed up to the Four Courts at noon. The load which consisted of several prisoners bound for the House of Refuge climbed in.

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FRANCIS DAY THRONG WILL EXCEED 200,000, FAIR OFFICIALS SAY

Great Throng, Freed by Cessation of Business, Welcomes Head of Exposition, Escorted by Troops, and Follows Procession From Administration Building to Louisiana Monument.

PRESENTS SHOWERED ON HIM BY COMMISSIONERS

Messenger Tries to Keep Congratulatory Party Away From Executive Office by Shouting "No Exhibits Here." Vast Crowd About Louisiana Monument Kept Back by Soldiers.

The people of St. Louis poured into the World's Fair grounds this afternoon as they have done but three times before, on Opening day, St. Louis day and President's day, and Fair officials say that the Francis day attendance will approach or exceed 200,000, making the last day one of the greatest of the great Fair.

The real rush did not set in until afternoon. Many business places which kept open during the morning closed in the afternoon and their freed employees made a rush for the Fair.

The capacity of the street car lines reaching the Fair was tested to the fullest. Streams of people were passing through all the gates at all of the entrances.

It is expected that there will be an even greater rush in the evening of those who could not go out during the day. It is believed that the night crowd will be greater than on any day of the Fair.

Near everybody, it is believed, will stay until the lights have gone out and the Fair has gone into the past.

The program of the day opened at 9 o'clock, when President Francis, accompanied by Mayor Wells and the ceremonies committee of the Fair, left the Francis home at Newstead and Maryland avenues, going to the World's Fair in a private trolley car. His visit to the Exposition is not made as president of the Exposition but as guest of the ceremonies and executive committee.

Before he arrived at the Administration entrance at 9:30 o'clock, a great crowd gathered in the avenues and plazas of the Exposition. The general suspension of business, in compliance with the proclamation of the mayor and the governor, enabled thousands to spend the last day of the World's Fair among its buildings, and they hurried thither early to stay until the lights go out for the last time.

In the crowds were hundreds of children, who secured free admission whether accompanied by their elders or not. There were other hundreds of poor persons who secured admission tickets provided through the Post-Dispatch.

As the party passed through the Administration entrance, a company of Jefferson Guards, drawn up there, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Fountain, saluted him and then, in triangular formation, became his escort to the Administration building.

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Handkerchiefs

SPLENDID quality hemstitched with colored borders—Gibson Head and other designs—suitable for making aprons, pillow tops, etc. 10c values—In basement—Friday at... **4c**

WOMEN'S fancy hemstitched, embroidered and scalloped Handkerchiefs—Irish Point effects—50c values—In basement—Friday at... **10c**

WOMEN'S Handkerchiefs—hemstitched—pretty embroidered wreath with initials—half dozen in neat box for... **45c**

WOMEN'S sheer linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs—4-inch hems—15c values—half dozen—Friday at... **10c**

MEN'S fine linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs—4-inch hems—12c values—Friday at... **12c**

WOMEN'S fancy Handkerchiefs—hemstitched—insertion, hemstitch—worth 25c each—Friday at... **15c**

WOMEN'S pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs with hand-embroidered corners—put up half dozen in pretty box—Friday... **\$1.25**

CHILDREN'S Handkerchiefs—In plain white, also with neat colored borders—4 dozen in... **15c**

MEN'S hemstitched Handkerchiefs with embroidered initials—half dozen in pretty box for... **69c**

Boys' Clothing

Specials for Friday

Boys' Reckers—made of excellent quality Melton cloth with high storm collars—well-lined—sleeves 7 to 12 years—good values at \$3.00—just in the lot—on sale Friday... **\$1.98**

Boys' Suits of heavy quality—Cheviots—styles—ages 8 to 15 years—\$4.00 values—on sale Friday... **\$2.55**

BOYS' NOVELTY SUITS—ages 8 to 15 years—made of serges, chevots, also corduroys—come in red, brown, blue and navy—\$4.00 values—Friday... **\$3.15**

Lace Bargains

Of the Grand Leader Sort

DAAPERY NETS—Gauzes and laces suitable for waists and collars—In black and white—worth \$1.00 a yard—on sale Friday... **39c**

SILK, COTTON AND WOOL LACES—bands, appliques, galloons, many of these goods—hand-made—worth 75c a yard—on sale... **39c**

MAKING—2 inches wide in black, white and colors—worth 25c a yard—on sale at... **10c**

WASH BLONDE—In fine and coarse meshes, double width—worth 50c a yard—on sale in the basement—per yard... **10c**

Going to Travel?

If so, Friday will be a profitable day for you providing you purchase your needs at the **GRAND LEADER**.

TRUNK—Canvas covered, waterproof painted, hoop iron centerband, hardwood strips fastened with steel clamps, heavy straps over top of trunk, brass lock and catches.

30-inch 32-inch 34-inch
Reg. price Reg. price Reg. price
\$4.90 \$5.30 \$5.70

36-inch 38-inch 40-inch
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\$5.00 \$5.35 \$5.75

TRUNK—Heavy, duck covered, waterproof painted, hardwood strips, fastened with steel clamps, heavy straps over top of trunk, brass lock and catches.

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But 20 Days to Buy Your Christmas Gifts—Don't Delay

Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums
At Greatly Reduced Prices

WE are making room for our great purchase at the auction sale of Alexander Smith & Sons' stock. We bought more than \$17,000 worth of Carpets and Rugs at this sale, and we must dispose of our present stock, therefore have made these radical reductions.

INGRAIN CARPETS—The very best make—that we have been selling for 75c a yard—reduced... **55c**

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETS—85c quality—all good patterns—reduced to, per yard... **60c**

BEST GRADE TAPESTRY CARPETS—that we have been selling at \$1 a yard—reduced to... **70c**

SAVONNERIE CARPETS—The highest grade Axminster made, that we have been selling at \$1.50 and \$1.75 a yard—reduced to... **\$1.20**

ROYAL AXMINSTER CARPETS that we have been selling at \$1.35 a yard—reduced to... **90c**

VELVET CARPETS that we have been selling at \$1.20 a yard—reduced to... **85c**

AXMINSTER RUGS—Size 9x12 feet—the best made—former selling price \$23.00 and \$30.00—reduced to... **\$21.75**

BEST QUALITY INLAIN LINOLEUM—More than a thousand yards—\$1.50 grade—per yard... **98c**

Mussed Undermuslins
At Nearly Half Price

A SPLENDID variety of undermuslins, including Gowns, Petticoats, Skirt Chemises and Drawers—all slightly mused from handling—on sale at a third to a half less than the regular prices—they are made of fine quality nainsook and cambric—handsomely trimmed with tulle, lace, Val, Point de

Paris lace and insertion, embroidery and hemstitched tucks—all cut extra full—regular selling price \$1.49, \$1.75 and \$1.98—choice of the entire lot Friday, \$1.00.

\$1.00

Sample Golf Gloves at 1/2

WE purchased the sample line of John M. Telford, New York, comprising women's and children's Golf Gloves of every description, which we offer at a third and half less than the prevailing retail prices—hundreds of different styles in any size you want.

75c Golf Gloves for 50c
Women's and Children's All-Wool and Mercerized Golf Gloves—75c quality for... **50c**

50c Golf Gloves for 35c
Women's and Children's Wool Golf Gloves—plain and fancy patterns—50c kind—per pair... **35c**

39c Golf Gloves for 25c
Women's and Children's All-Wool and Fleece-lined Golf Gloves—plain and fancy patterns—worth 39c a pair, at... **25c**

25c Golf Gloves for 15c
Women's and Children's All-Wool and Cotton Fleece-lined Golf Gloves—plain and fancy patterns—worth 25c a pair, at... **15c**

Sale of Petticoats

Prices Mean One-Third Saved

BLACK MERCERIZED SATEEN PETTICOATS—Umbrella style, with deep ruffle, finished with three hemstitched ruffles, or deep accordion pleated flounce and dust ruffle—60 dozen in the lot—good values at \$1.25—on sale Friday, at... **98c**

BLACK AND COLORED MERCERIZED SATEEN PETTICOATS—Made with deep accordion pleated flounce; finished with two ruffles and dust ruffle—50 dozen in the lot—\$2.00 values—on sale at... **\$1.49**

UPHOLSTERY

REMNANTS OF IRISH POINT, Brussels and Scotch Sash Lace—worth from 25c to 50c a yard—on sale at **19c**

REMNANTS OF ART TICKING, Taffetas, Burlaps and Denims for sofa pillows, covering screens, bed drapery, etc., worth 20c and 25c a yard—at... **12c**

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Saving Chances in Dress Goods

PURE WOOL FRENCH CHALLIES—Cream grounds with small figures and stripes, also navy blue and black grounds with foudal designs—regular 50c goods—Friday, per yard... **39c**

TAILOR SUITING—44 inches wide—pure wool—hard-twisted yarn—in mixed and small checked effects—\$23.00 and \$30.00—reduced to... **\$21.75**

RAIN AND SPOT PROOF CRAVEN-ETITE—44 inches wide—in all the new mixtures, also herringbone striped—most wanted fabric of the season for coat suits and separate long coats—\$1.75 quality—per yard... **\$1.25**

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS IN THE BASEMENT—Prices are 1/2 to 3/4 less than regular.

Great Clearance of Tailor-Made Suits
Odds and Ends Considerably Reduced in Price

A NOTHER accumulation of odds and ends of Women's Tailor-Made Suits will be cleaned out Friday at sharp reductions. Our method is that nothing shall linger, and as these suits have been in stock two or three months we feel it is time that they were going. You will find that these early models vary but little from the most recent ones.

IT would be almost an impossibility to give a description of the various styles. We simply give you an outline of their character and tell you what materials they come in. There are blouse effects, hip length, loose and tight-fitting coats, 3/4 length Tourist Coat styles, etc.; the coats are lined with taffeta or satin; skirts are in the pleated and kilted effects—some fancy trimmed and plain tailored styles—materials are fancy mixtures, chevots, broadcloths, coverts and venetians—in almost every color in vogue this season. While this is a lot of odds and ends you will find almost every size represented. If you desire a good selection come early.

\$ 8.95 for Tailor-Made Suits worth \$12.50 to \$15.00

\$ 9.95 for Tailor-Made Suits worth \$15.00 to \$16.50

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\$32.50 for Tailor-Made Suits worth \$40.00 to \$50.00

\$39.75 for Tailor-Made Suits worth \$50.00 to \$60.00

Odd Lots Silk Waists at \$1.98

GREAT clearance of odd lots of Silk Waists, formerly priced \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$5.50—about forty different styles—from two to six of a style—a great many of them are mused and soiled—mostly all colors among them—we will place this entire lot on a bargain counter Friday and mark them all at one price... **\$1.98**

\$4.50 to \$6 Skirts for \$2.98

GREAT clean-up Friday of all odd skirts—about 250 in all—walking and dress lengths—one to six of a style—materials are fancy mixtures, chevots, venetians and broadcloths—variously trimmed and pleated, also kilted effects—all colors among them—they were priced to sell yesterday at \$4.50 to \$6.00—choice... **\$2.98**

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Splendid Silks and Velvets
Priced Exceedingly Low Friday

YOU will have to come early for these bargains, as the quantity in most instances is very limited, and there is no telling how long they will hold out, for bargains like these are quickly taken advantage of.

A small lot of black and colored Velveteens, also Crush Velvets—in red only, and black all-silk Surah—regular 50c goods—on sale Friday, per yard... **25c**

A small lot of Olive China Silks—36 inches wide; white Corded Wash Silks; polka dot and figured Satin Foulards; white China Silks 27 inches wide—silks that sold for 60c and 65c a yard—on sale Friday, per yard... **39c**

Plaid Velvets, fancy Velvets, black all-silk Gros Grain, black Peau de Soie, heavy rustling Taffeta Silk in colors, Brocade Satin in light shades—75c and \$1.00 silk fabrics—all on sale in one lot Friday, per yard... **49c**

Crushed Velvets in browns, blues, greens, reds, grays and marine—the much wanted materials for coats and waists—just a limited quantity; regular \$1.00 grade; on sale Friday at, per yard... **69c**

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Father Failed to Save Son.

The testimony and plea of his convicted father did not save James Rice, Jr., 35 years old, from conviction on the charge of assisting in the manufacture of counterfeit silver dollars. Judge Adams, in the United States District Court, will Friday impose the sentence required by the jury's verdict of guilty. The father pleaded guilty before his son's trial began, and will be sentenced at the same time. The counterfeit plant was in a room on the third floor of the house at 83 Chestnut avenue.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectively cleans and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in a soft, moist, rather in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in a sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

We Close Our Store Today in Honor of DAVID R. FRANCIS TOMORROW

Our friends and patrons will find third and fourth floors crowded with pianos taken from the World's Fair.

REMEMBER That no one firm has all the pianos—come and see for yourselves—no trouble to show goods.

"Seeing Is Believing."

O. K. HOUCK PIANO CO.,
1118 OLIVE ST.
H. A. PHIPPS, Mgr.

PUBLICATIONS.

Harper's Book News.

The Masquerader

They are telling a queer story over in England about palm reading and prophesying and that sort of thing. It seems that a young woman in a spirit of fun went to a London palmist, who put on a solemn face and told her she would one day be a great novelist. She laughed—for she had never written a line—didn't even read novels very much. She told her husband about the thing as a joke, and he said, "Why not try?" She tried.

And the result? "The Masquerader," that wonderful story of a real man and a live woman, was born, and Katherine Cecil Thurston became famous almost over night. It may not be a great enduring-for-all-time novel, but it is a big, splendid story, full of vivid life; rich with the vigor and lush strength of pulsing youth. The New York Mail says:

"This is a story of a strong man and a strong woman and their high-handed grasping for happiness in the face of the moral law. The woman, magnificent in her love, rises above considerations of convention, above fear, above consequences. Circumstances give her the right to follow the dictates of an overwhelming passion. It will take rank with the few really good books."

HARPER & BROTHERS
Franklin Square, New York.

FAREWELL SPEECH OF PRESIDENT FRANCIS

President Francis speech was as follows:

I am dazed, if not dumb, from the manifestations and expressions of this day. The manner in which the people of St. Louis have, united with practical unanimity to honor me is the more surprising because of the sense of unworthiness with which I am imbued. With what I trust is not unbecoming modesty I acknowledge my unfitness to consider me wanting in appreciation when I say that the designation of this as "Francis Day" is intended more as an indication of your estimate of the Exposition, and as a tribute to the men whose unselfish labors for the success of this work have inspired you with respect and gratitude.

That the governor of this commonwealth, the mayor of this city should issue proclamations calling upon the people to abstain from their usual occupations; that the public and parochial schools and private schools should declare a holiday; that the merchants of trade, the financial institutions and the commercial interests of a cosmopolitan city should close their doors, is susceptible of no meaning other than that an intelligent people desire to show their value they place upon an undertaking, the beneficial and far-reaching results of which are beyond calculation.

United Efforts

Made the Fair.

While I cannot feel that any services I may have rendered merit the mead of praise you have conferred upon me, I do not question the sincerity of your expressions, but at the same time you must believe me when I say that your estimate of my services is far, very far, in excess of the work I have performed. An enterprise of this magnitude could only be accomplished by the united efforts of patriotic men working in harmony for a common end, and making the achievement thereof paramount to any personal aggrandizement or selfish object. The directors of the Exposition, the heads of its grand divisions, the chiefs of its departments, the commissioners and hosts representing the Federal Government, the foreign countries and the States of the Union participating in the Exposition, have cooperated in the exploitation, installation, and operation of a universal Exposition in which we have risen to the full measure of the ambitious plan upon which it was organized.

It has been a serious work. All who have engaged in it have been mindful of its importance and striven to perform their share, realizing that any dereliction on the part of one might reflect upon the others but would impair the perfection of the whole. The helpfulness and consideration invariably extended to the highest official was a natural outgrowth of fidelity to an undertaking for the success of which all co-workers cherished a deep responsibility.

Treasurer Thompson

Object of Solicitude

I would be derelict in the proprieties of this occasion, as well as untrue to my own feeling if I failed to make a special mention of one whom sickness prevents from participating in the ceremonies of this day. I allude to our treasurer, Mr. William H. Thompson, whose many qualities

of head and heart are as indescribable as the inestimable services he has rendered this enterprise. May he soon be restored to health and strength.

The results of this work cannot be adequately measured by the beauty of its landscape, the grace and symmetry of its exhibits, the intelligence of its congresses, the elegance of its social features, nor by the innumerable pleasures conferred on its patrons; but time will be required to demonstrate that the thought and the labor and the sacrifices that have entered into it were not ill-advisedly bestowed. The compensation will continue to flow for at least a generation to come. Its influence will be felt and appreciated in widening circles as the years go by. It has advanced the intellectual and industrial advancement of the world, and the dawn of a new era in the international relations of government and people.

It is a credit for any state to have had such a gathering within its borders and a glory to any city to have been the scene of such an assembly. It has brought all countries closer together and it has elevated the world.

Those who have been engaged in the work will never cease to look back to it with pride. All who have shared in the spirit of the undertaking have been the views enlightened, their tastes cultivated and their sympathies broadened. The millions of visitors who have entered these gates have, by their presence, encouraged the hand of workers and let us hope have taken away pleasant recollections of their experiences.

The distinguished guests, whom we have entertained, have by their words of encouragement and manifestations of interest lightened our labors and incited us to renewed efforts. All who have come have contributed toward the consummation of an undertaking upon which this outpouring of people at the end of the task stamps the approval of the people of St. Louis and of Missouri.

Fair Was

Life Work.

Speaking for myself I have been the work of my life. The duties of the position I have held have not only claimed my entire time and thought (having not failed to be on the grounds from six to 14 hours each and every day since the opening, May 1, last) but the performance of all the duties have been so pregnant with pleasure and interest that it has dispelled all feelings of weariness and its cessation will seem like the severing of a beloved tie. My departure from the scene endeared by cherished association.

I tender you sincere thanks for this manifestation of your good will which I shall ever hold in the highest esteem. To have served our fellow men with all of the strength and ability granted to us is a duty, the discharge of which is the highest and most honorable of our life. To have been so pregnant with pleasure and interest that it has dispelled all feelings of weariness and its cessation will seem like the severing of a beloved tie. My departure from the scene endeared by cherished association.

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And He's Just Begun.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
I read about the little boy trying to get a chair. I would suggest that if a number of little boys and girls would ask their friends if they would soon be able to have their chairs, they would soon be able to have their chairs. I started tonight and I have many friends to ask yet. **GEORGE PHILLIPS,**
2828 Dickson street. Age 11 years.

BROTHER AIDS ELOPING GIRL

Parental Objections Overridden by Young Couple Who Wed in East St. Louis.

Parental objections were set at naught Thursday morning when Philip Rogers, 23 years old, of Paducah, Ky., and Edith Lowe, 19 years old, of Fort Scott, Kan., but formerly of Paducah, were married in East St. Louis by Justice of the Peace Beach.

Until three weeks ago the families of the young couple lived in Paducah and was happiness and serenity among all concerned.

Soon after the departure of the Lowe family from Paducah the attitude of the parents towards the prospective son-in-law underwent a change for some unknown reason.

An elopement was immediately proposed, and as quickly agreed to by the young girl. Louis Lowe, an old neighbor, was taken into their confidence, and through his assistance his sister secretly boarded a train bound for St. Louis, where she arrived this morning. As per previous arrangement, Philip Rogers happened to be at Union Station when the train from Fort Scott arrived. The wedding ceremony followed at once for the World's Fair, where they will spend the day. A telegram to the bride's parents, notifying them of the marriage is as yet unanswered.

DO YOU KNOW

All the merchants advertise "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in the POST-DISPATCH every FRIDAY.

"BIG JIM" PRESIDENT'S GUEST

Former Ranch Neighbor of Mr. Roosevelt Heartily Welcomed.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—James S. White of Omaha, who was a neighbor of Mr. Roosevelt when he lived on his ranch near Medora, North Dakota, in 1883, accepted a hurry invitation to lunch with the President Wednesday. Mr. White had called at the executive offices to pay his respects to the President.

"Aren't you 'Big Jim'?" said Mr. Roosevelt.

"That's me," replied Mr. White, "or at least that was the name I was most known by when I lived on the next ranch to yours."

"Come right over and take lunch with me," said Mr. Roosevelt.

"I'll go you," said "Big Jim," and for two hours they talked over the old days on the plains.

Keep the stomach strong and healthy by using the Bitters and you have the secret of health and strength. There is nothing else so good. It always cures Indigestion, Poor Appetite, Flatulency, Weak Kidneys, Dyspepsia, Chills, Colds or Malaria. Try it.

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COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS, WAISTS AND FURS

Hundreds of Tourist Coats,
Hundreds of Tailor-Made Suits,
Hundreds of Walking Skirts,
Hundreds of Waists
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Hundreds of Fine Furs
In our Great Reduction Sale, Tomorrow—Friday.

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Cloth Jackets,
Tourist 3/4-Length Coats,
Rain Coats,
Fine Tailor-Made Suits,
Velour Jackets, Velvet Suits,
Fine Costumes, Beautiful Waists,
Elegant Rich Furs,
Walking and Dress Skirts,
Are Placed on Sale at Reduced Prices.

An Enormous Sale of Ladies' Cloth and Fur Garments!

Our Stock is Immense. The Fair is Over. We Prefer to Reduce Them Now Rather Than Carry Any Over.

GENUINE SNAP BARGAINS THAT YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS!

Ladies' Cloth Jackets FUR SCARFS AND BOAS

30-inch Cloth Jackets, in Kersey Cloth and in Oxford
Gray Melton Cloths—all lined—
worth \$10.00.....**\$4.98**

Cloth Tourist Coats
1/4-length all-wool cloth, Tourist Coats, in fancy
mixture cloths—winter weight—
worth \$11.50.....**\$5.98**

1/4-length all-wool cloth Tourist Coats, made of Finest
Kersey Cloth—handsome styles—belted back—
worth \$16.50.....**\$9.98**

Cloth Tailor-Made Suits
Stylish all-wool tailor-made Cloth Suits
that sold for \$16.00
and \$18.00.....**\$9.98**

Beautiful Cloth Tailor-made Suits that
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and \$25.00.....**\$14.50**

Fashionable Crushed Velvet Jacket Suits, that
we sold for \$30.00
and \$35.00.....**\$17.50**

Cloth Walking Skirts
An assortment of broken lots of all-wool Cloth
Walking Skirts—
worth \$7.50.....**\$3.75**

Handsome Broadcloth Skirts—made with 47 plaits—
strictly man tailored—
on sale at.....**\$6.95**

Imported Garments (French Room)
All Fine Costumes—Handsomeness Velour Blouses and Coats and Opera Wraps—
reduced in price to about 1/4 usual charges.

Electric Seal Fur Jackets
A 22-inch Electric Seal Fur Jacket—lined throughout
with guaranteed satin—large storm collar—
wide reverses—on sale at.....**\$16.50**

22-inch Electric Seal Fur Jacket—trimmed with Nutria
Beaver fronts—Sable Opossum fronts or Marten
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30-inch Electric Seal Fur Cape—110-inch sweep—
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Electric Seal Fur Scarves
Liver Mink Fur Scarfs.....**\$1.50**
Sable Hare Fur Scarfs.....**\$1.50**
Isabella Opossum Fur Scarfs.....**\$2.98**
Genuine Sable Wolf Fur Boa.....**\$4.98**
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Sable Dyed Squirrel Zaza Ties.....**\$8.98**
Genuine Chinchilla Fur Zaza Ties.....**\$14.98**
Japanese Mink Fur Boas.....**\$7.98**
Marten Cluster Fur Scarfs.....**\$4.98**
Blended Mink Storm Collar with Tabs.....**\$8.98**
XXX Isabella Fox Boas.....**\$14.98**
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GIFTS FOR MUSEUM FROM PRINTER'S RECEIVED TODAY "DEVIL," HE ROSE TO PROMINENCE

Acquisition Committee Will Report Progress at Meeting to Be Held Tomorrow.

Directors of the St. Louis Public Museum will meet at the St. Louis club Friday evening at 8 o'clock to receive reports from the acquisition committee regarding the progress made in the work of procuring exhibits.

This meeting, which was to have been held Wednesday evening, was postponed on account of the sudden death of William H. Woodward, one of the directors, in the meeting room.

The museum association began receiving gifts of money Thursday. Desk room has been obtained in the offices of the Manufacturers' association in the Merchants' Exchange, and gifts will be received there.

Although the acquisitions have not been reported officially to the directors, it is stated that the museum has obtained the entire exhibits of Nicaragua, Honduras and Guatemala, and that all the other Latin American countries had promised liberal gifts. The association has been offered the Guatemala building at the World's Fair for storage purposes.

400 HELMETS TO BE HUNG UP

Police Force to Be Reduced to Its Normal Size After Saturday Night.

Only 100 of the emergency special patrolmen will be retained as regular patrolmen after Saturday night, it having been discovered that the police appropriation for the year will not support a greater number. Consequently 400 emergency specials will be discharged at 11 o'clock Saturday night. The names of those to be retained will not be made public until that time.

It had been intended to retain 200, Mayor Wells to select 40 and each of the police commissioners to choose 25. After the police commissioners to select 25 each.

The foreign detectives in the city will leave within a few days and the detective force will be reduced to its former size.



What are your plans? We can build on any figure you can bring in. In many cases a man's dress has been the architect of his fortune.

If these new nut-brown suits are not your color—the new iron-gray with the overplaid may be just what you are looking for.

Every new pattern is here. Today a special in "burnt-orange" scarfs.

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so you needn't fear getting a substitute, there is none. Modern invention can't cope with nature—Pluto comes direct from the springs to you—always reliable, always the same.

15c, 25c, 35c.
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"ON THE MONON ROUTE."



LINDSAY LIGHTS
Will flood the home, office or store these dark winter evenings with
SUMMER SUNSHINE
They give as much light as three ordinary incandescent lights on one-third the consumption.
Price, Complete, \$1.

W. H. Woodward's Life, Suddenly Ended at St. Louis Club Last Night, Was One of Honorable Triumph Over Difficulties.

LAST ACT WAS OFFER FOR GOOD OF PUBLIC

At Meeting of Museum Directors, Had Announced Gift of \$1000 When Heart Disease Attacked Him—Funeral Plans Not Made.

Arrangements for the funeral of William Henry Woodward, who died suddenly of heart disease while attending a meeting of the St. Louis Public Museum directors at the St. Louis club Wednesday night, have not been completed. It is thought, however, that the services will be held in Grace Episcopal Church, of which Mr. Woodward was a vestryman.

Mr. Woodward's death was due to heart disease, from which he had been a sufferer for several months. He lacked but 10 days of being 70 years old, and in his 10 days of life he had lived a life of more than 50 years of residence in St. Louis, had risen to wealth and prominence. He was president of the Woodward & Lothrop Printing Co., which he established; a director and diligent worker for the World's Fair, and actively connected with most of the public-spirited enterprises of the city.

His death occurred a moment after he had declared to W. H. Thompson:

"I want to say that I believe I have made the first gift of \$1000 to the St. Louis Public Museum. I had check signed and made payable to the treasurer this afternoon. I meant to bring it with me tonight, but unfortunately I forgot it. It is now on my desk at home. I will send after it."

Mr. Thompson replied that he did not want to receive any money until "Francis Day," and not to send for the check.

Mr. Woodward bent his head over on the table and with a sigh was unconscious. Geo. W. Parker and Pierre Chouteau rushed to his side, thinking he had fainted. Efforts to revive him were continued until the arrival of Drs. William F. Kier and Spencer Graves ten minutes later. A little life yet lingered in the body, but by the time Louis Woodward, a son, arrived from the family house, 4033 Westminster place, life was extinct.

The career of Mr. Woodward, who was born in Berkeley, England, and who came to America when he was 11 years old, was a struggle with adverse conditions and obstacles which he surmounted, and he leaves as a monument to his genius and ability one of the greatest printing establishments in the west.

A public school education which was terminated at fifteen years was his schooling. He entered a printing office as an apprentice at Madison, Wis., in 1849, and came to St. Louis with his family in 1853 and became a printer on the Missouri Republican.

After being with that paper thirteen years, he went into business for himself, and was succeeded as foreman by Mr. Thompson, who later became his partner, as the business of the firm began to grow.

The first printing shop was at Third and Pine streets. In 1872 larger quarters were occupied, and in 1887 the firm moved into its present place, from 30 to 32 North Third street. Mr. Woodward was a vestryman of Grace Episcopal Church, which was organized by Woodward, in the early 1850s. Frequently he was elected as lay representative to diocesan conventions and other church affairs. At one time he was grand master of the Missouri Odd Fellows. He was also a member of Beacon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and a member of Stella Council, Legion of Honor.

He was a member of many clubs and business organizations, and took an active interest to the day of his death in every public institution. He was a director of the Exposition, a member of the Merchants' Exchange, of the Business Men's League, Manufacturers' Association, Spanish-American Club and the Mercantile and other clubs.

During the Civil war Mr. Woodward was a member of the Home Guards, and was ordered into active service as third sergeant of Company K, First regiment. In 1878 he was elected a member of the City Council from the old Eleventh ward and served two years.

Mr. Woodward's first wife, who was Miss Maria K. Knight, whom he married in 1859, died in January, 1888, and in February, 1889, Mr. Woodward married Miss Laura Bingham of Indianapolis. He is survived by his widow and seven children, Edgar B. Woodward, Walter B. Woodward, Louis B. Woodward, Julius Woodward, Mrs. M. Wood, Albert, Grace Woodward and Sarah Woodward.

NEGRESS' HUSBAND DISCHARGED
Soldier Whose Marriage Created Stir in Army Ordered Released "Without Honor."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Acting Secretary Oliver has directed the discharge "without honor" of Private John Smith, hospital corps, stationed at Fort Mott, N. J., who had been married a negress and whose discharge was recommended by General Grant, commanding the department of the East.

In the official statement, given out at the war department in disposing of the case today it is stated that Private Smith married "a woman of bad character, whose previous marriage had not been terminated by the death of her husband or by any form of legal separation."

ROCKEFELLER, JR., TO EUROPE

Tells His Smoking Bible Class He Needs Rest.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—At the eighth annual banquet of the young men's Bible class of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., leader of the class, announced that within a week he would be on the ocean bound for Europe, with his family, having been advised by his physicians to seek rest, rest, rest, for three months, because he is not in good health.

There were 23 members of the class present at the banquet. No wines or liquors were served. Tobacco, however, was not tabooed, and the air was heavy with cigar and cigarette smoke when speaking began.

"KID" LEAP IN TOILS AGAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—"Kid" Leary, veteran safe-blower, who is said to have stolen more than \$500,000 in his career, has been arrested after a determined resistance. Suspected of complicity in a recent bank-blowing in Chicago, and two in bank robbery in Wisconsin, the police learned of the man's presence in the city. He was surprised asleep in a rooming house and was unable to reach the weapons secreted in the bed for defense. Despite the threats and display of revolvers by the policeman, Leary struggled until overpowered. Leary recently was released from the pen at Waupun, Wis.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

PUT OFF THE TRAIN, HE SUES

Abraham Albert of New York has sued the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. for \$500 damages in Justice O'Halloran's court for being ejected from a train following a misunderstanding regarding a railroad ticket. Albert alleges that after having his ticket validated he found he was unable to leave

St. Louis on that day. He says that when he was able to leave, he explained the situation to the railroad company, and that another ticket was procured for him. He says he was accompanied to the train by an employee of the company and that the ticket was given to another railroad employee on the train.

He further alleges that when he was asked for his ticket he was unable to produce it, and he was put off the train in East St. Louis.

Mercy to Dog Brought Death.

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 1.—Fletcher E. Potter, who was scratched on the hand recently while chloroforming a dog which he believed to have hydrophobia, died after two days' severe illness. Nothing was thought of the scratch at the time it was received. Potter being bitten on the hand at the death of his pet, which he determined to kill painlessly himself, instead of trusting it to others.

TWO EAGLE TRADING STAMPS TOMORROW

INSTEAD OF ONE AT "FAMOUS"

IT'S THE LAST DOUBLE-STAMP DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS—SO DON'T MISS IT

SILK VELVET HATS

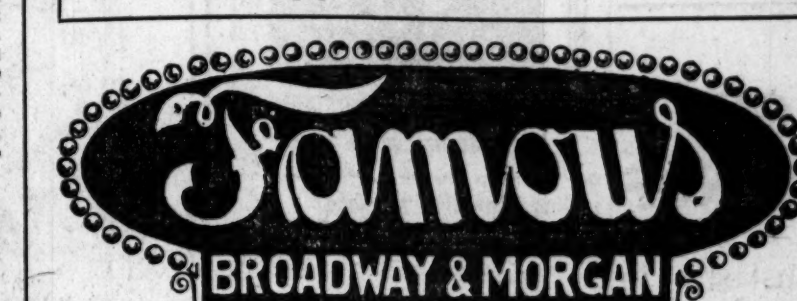
\$3.50 Values, Friday, \$1.95.

Now for some rapid selling in our millinery section tomorrow. Strictly hand-made, mirrored silk velvet hats—with crushed velvet facing—trimmed with velvet knots and two steel ornaments—in two of this winter's noblest and catchiest shapes, one exactly like this illustration—in black, brown, navy, cardinal. These hats are positive \$3.50 values—Friday while 200 last, choice for..

1.95

BROADWAY & MORGAN

Santa Claus wants all the good little boys and girls to come and see him at his headquarters in "Toyland" at Famous. He has a pretty little picture book for each little boy or girl who comes with his mamma or papa.

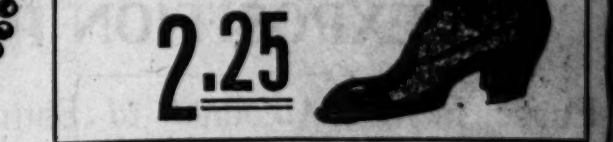


WOMEN'S SHOES

The Celebrated "Princess \$3.50" Shoes

Friday for \$2.25.

A shoe special of exceptional character—we purchased at a very liberal discount from a prominent Boston jobber, 500 pairs of the widely advertised "Princess \$3.50" shoes for women—these shoes of excellent quality with kid—with patent leather tip—Goodyear welt—sizes 3 1/2 to 8-B, C, D and E widths—Friday, very special for



Women's \$15 Coats, \$8.95

Splendidly tailored Short Coats—made in the stylish wide shoulder effects with large box plaits down back—made of excellent quality jersey cloth—lined throughout with guaranteed satin—also included in the lot are some handsome Winter weight Coat Coats—in the strapped effect—the new sleeves—tans, blues, browns, black—costs that you'd find priced elsewhere at \$15—Friday at Famous, as an extraordinary special—choice for..

8.95

Women's \$15 Raincoats, \$7.95

If you've been thinking of buying one of these practical garments, here's your chance. Made of heavy, shower proof cravenetted cloth—fancy collar—large plaits down back—new full sleeves—cuffs and collars neatly piped in red—the new gray shade only—all sizes—regular \$15 values—Friday at Famous, choice for..

7.95

Women's \$4 Waists, \$1.95

40 dozen—all that remain from that great purchase—to go Friday—fancy golf flannel plaid waists, Nun's veiling, Brillantine, velvet, serge and novelty waists in the new broad plaited front styles—also fancy yoke effects—neat cuffs and stock collars—regular \$4 values—Friday, while they last, choice for

1.95

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

Up to 85c Values for 37c Yard.

Friday at Famous in the time and place to buy dress goods and silks if you want real bargains—20-inch Colored Peau de Soie—21-inch Colored Crepe de Chine—22-inch Colored Tulle—23-inch Colored Tulle—24-inch Colored Tulle—25-inch Colored Tulle—26-inch Colored Tulle—27-inch Colored Tulle—28-inch Colored Tulle—29-inch Colored Tulle—30-inch Colored Tulle—31-inch Colored Tulle—32-inch Colored Tulle—33-inch Colored Tulle—34-inch Colored Tulle—35-inch Colored Tulle—36-inch Colored Tulle—37-inch Colored Tulle—38-inch Colored Tulle—39-inch Colored Tulle—40-inch Colored Tulle—41-inch Colored Tulle—42-inch Colored Tulle—43-inch Colored Tulle—44-inch Colored Tulle—45-inch Colored Tulle—46-inch Colored Tulle—47-inch Colored Tulle—48-inch Colored Tulle—49-inch Colored Tulle—50-inch Colored Tulle—51-inch Colored Tulle—52-inch Colored Tulle—53-inch Colored Tulle—54-inch Colored Tulle—55-inch Colored Tulle—56-inch Colored Tulle—57-inch Colored Tulle—58-inch Colored Tulle—59-inch Colored Tulle—60-inch 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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS FROM TODAY IN ST. LOUIS

BY O. B. JOYFUL.

(From the Post-Dispatch of Dec. 1, 1929.)

Twenty-five years ago today several hundred thousands of the citizens of St. Louis assembled at the World's Fair grounds to honor the deeds of the only man in Missouri who ever made his name so widely known that in almost every civilized nation his initials were recognized as one taken as a matter of course. That man, it is needless to say, was D. R. F. This vast outpouring of the populace was due to a desire to show appreciation of the man who had even exceeded the proud accomplishment of old King Nebuchadnezzar, or whoever it was, that built the hanging gardens of Babylon, and who had laid in the shade everything in the way of an international exposition that had ever come down the pike, or that has ever been thought of attempted since that memorable year. It may be the reports of the occasion were exaggerated by the enthusiastic scribes of those days, but it is stated for a fact that 8,000,000 human beings, of all grades and nationalities, turned out on D. R. F. day to root for the interviewer kings, princes, presidents and potentates, and who, by these and other strenuous feats, made St. Louis a mighty name in the earth—yes, even a name that was known even in the name of Tyre and Nineveh and Babylon. It was a great day in St. Louis, Missouri and the United States, and the world looked on admiringly, while the people bowed the knee to D. R. F., the Great. The following advertisement was published in the Post-Dispatch twenty-five years ago today in St. Louis:

FOR RENT—One elegantly furnished front room, in a lovely neighborhood, near the World's Fair grounds; beautiful southern exposure and all modern conveniences, including bath (wash) tub, coat hooks and laundry bag; was vacant during World's Fair period and therefore clean, new and desirable; former price, \$20 a week; present price, at tenant's pleasure, \$30 a day. Ad. 7-11, Post-Dispatch.

Mayor Katter Aufschnit, accompanied by his secretary, Finnan Haddie, went down to Chesley Island this afternoon to inspect the municipal garbage works and ice cream factory.

Chief of Police Rasmussen held a consultation this afternoon with Superintendent Frank Purter of the City Insane Asylum concerning certain conditions prevailing there. Chief Helm insists that, while Supt. Purter is keeping a bughouse, he needn't keep it too decidedly that way.

Just to See What It Would Do.



Financially Crippled.
Tramp (pitiously): Please help a cripple at this festive season, sir.
Kind Old Gent (handing him some money): Bless me, why, of course. How are you crippled, my poor fellow?
Tramp (pocketing the money): Financially crippled, sir.—Chicago Times.

Tact.
The lovely girl hesitated.
"Tell me, Mr. Throgson," she said, "am I the first girl you ever loved?"
"I'll be honest with you, Miss Eunice," replied the young man. "You are not. But you are far and away the most beautiful." The rest was easy.—Chicago Tribune.

Something of a Spartan.
"So you were sent to bed without your supper?"
"Yes," answered the boy with a tenacious disposition. "But I don't like what they had for supper, and I was sleepy anyhow."—Washington Star.

Relenting Just a Trifle.
Uncle John: So you don't like your teacher, Tommy?
Tommy (savagely): No, I don't. I wish he was at the bottom of the sea!
Uncle John: Oh, come, now, Tommy! That's too much to say.
Tommy: Well, I wish he was at the bottom of Jones' mill pond, then.—Philadelphia Press.

JUST A MINUTE For POST-DISPATCH Verse and Humor

Francis Day.

Come, join the merry legions
That to the westward ho,
That like a sea of humanity
In one vast current flow!
Yes, come all care and labor
And haste to fly with me,
To pay a tribute, this one day,
Unto our mighty D.

Put by your pen and pencil,
Your picture and your spade,
And honor him who for himself
So proud a name hath made!
Let not the cares of business
This joy and duty mar.
But lay a bit of laurel at
The feet of great D. R.

See! Still the legions westward
Are hastening along!
Come, get in line and join this vast,
Enthusiastic throng!
Just listen how they're shouting,
Till half the town is deaf!
Hooray, hooray for Francis Day!
Hooray for D. R. F.!

He Knew, All Right.

A case was on trial in Judge Taylor's court and a German citizen was the witness stand. During the course of the trial the word "substitute" was used. Judge Taylor was not quite sure that the witness understood the meaning of the word. So he questioned him.
"Are you sure you understand the meaning of the word 'substitute'?" asked his honor.
"Ach, ja!" exclaimed the witness.
"Well, what is it, then?" asked the court.
"Well," said the witness, twisting around a little, "substitute means dot he is me, only I'm not here."
He scored.

The News From Kentucky.

Around Shelbyville Near Shelby a farmer farmers are drinking went home in a drunken milk to save water for condition, killed his cows, so great is wife and four children the drought. Several die and then himself. tilities are closed.

Photograph

of the only knocker in St. Louis who does not believe that Francis Day at the World's Fair is a good thing. X represents the frown on his brow as he sees tens of thousands of St. Louisans hastening westward.

Take Your Pen in Hand.

Where, oh, where's R. E. Lee Gibson?
Where's that poet pure and true?
Will he not reveal his presence?
Won't he send us just one line?
In the days of Coke and Chitty
As those sordid in this great city?
Were the mice pies all as gritty
As those served in our small city?
Oh, perhaps!

The police of Chicago are looking for a Mr. Hugg. Diligent inquiry is being made among the female population.

If there is to be a municipal museum, we would like to have the privilege of naming a few exhibits.
Insanely foolish persons are often called "romantic" by courtesy.

Russia and Finland.

It is said that ex-Minister Andrew D. White's article in the November Century, "A Diplomat's Recollections of Russia," is a terrible arraignment of the Russian oligarchy and the present Czar. Mr. White is quoted as saying, touching Russia's treatment of Finland:

"It is the saddest spectacle of our time. Former emperors, however much they have wished to do so, have not dared break their oaths to Finland; but the present weakling sovereign, in his indifference, carelessness and absolute unfitness to rule, has allowed the dominant reactionary clique about him to accomplish its own gross pleasure. I put on record here the prophecy that his dynasty, if not himself, will be punished for it. All history shows that no such crime has been committed without receiving punishment."
This was written, of course, before the Russian war with Japan and the assassinations of Bobrikoff and Plahva.

ETIQUETTE OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

An invitation to the White House, for instance, 30 years ago, would have been regarded as one to be accepted or declined to suit the convenience of the person invited. It is today regarded in the light of a "royal command." As against it no other engagement is permitted to stand. And it is not merely confined to invitations issued directly by the President. An attempt is now being made to extend the rule so as to include members of the President's family. We have reached the point, indeed, where a debutante about to give a dinner to other debutantes of the season, having issued invitations to it some four weeks ahead, absented herself from the dinner at her mother's direction and went to the White House, because the day before she had been asked over the telephone by the President's daughter to join a theater party!

To some of us who have seen the monarchs of the old world invite themselves to the houses of their subjects, it seems odd that Washington etiquette compels the President to visit no other house except that of one of the members of his official family—in other words, the cabinet. We have, at receptions at the White House, a "behind the line" space reserved for favored guests in the room where the President shakes hands with those invited from which advantage gained and the passing through is scrutinized by those within the "reservation," and we reach the climax when the President, at the close of the reception, leads the "receiving party" to rooms above, where a supper is served, leaving other guests to find their way home, hungry and thirsty, as best they may.—"The Social Side of Washington," Ainslee's for December.

Old Maid Insurance.

From the Newark News.
"Please madam," said the Danish cook, "a dollar for my old maid insurance."
"What is your old maid insurance, Ingrid?" asked the mistress as she took a dollar from her purse.
"That, madam, is the money that will help keep me in my old age if I never get no man. Old maid insurance—have you not such in America?"
"No, I believe not."
"It is a good thing," said Ingrid. "You should have it here. We have it all over Denmark. All the girls are in it. We pay in one dollar every three months, and if we get no man after we are forty, we begin to get a pension of so much, according to our needs. But if we get a man before then we lose all the money we have paid in."
"You are, an thirty, madam. I have paid in \$4 a year for ten years. If I do that for ten years more, keeping single, then for forty on I am assured of maintenance in my lonely old age. See?"
"Yes, I see," said the mistress. "But which would you rather have at forty, a pension or a man, Ingrid?"
"Madam, I would rather have a man."

Knew His Game.

Tom: I saw Slickley the other day, and he was looking exceedingly prosperous.
Dick: If you see him again tell I'm out of town.
Tom: What for?
Dick: He once confided to me that the only time he ever pretended to be a swell dresser was when he was broke and out borrowing money.—Detroit Free Press.

He Wondered.

The Pastor's Little Boy: You never joke at a funeral, do you, papa?
The Pastor: Certainly not, my son!
The Pastor's Little Boy: Then, why do you sometimes say, papa, that the dead man has gone to his eternal rest and joined the heavenly choir?—Puck.

Filial.

Glady's and Gertrude said: "Faugh!"
And Beryl and Gwendolyn: "Pshaugh!"
When their mother made breaks,
But Imogene only said: "Maugh!"—Puck.

The Bucolic Humorist.

Visitor: Have you lived all your life here, my little man?
Little Man: Nao, not yet.—Chicago Chron.

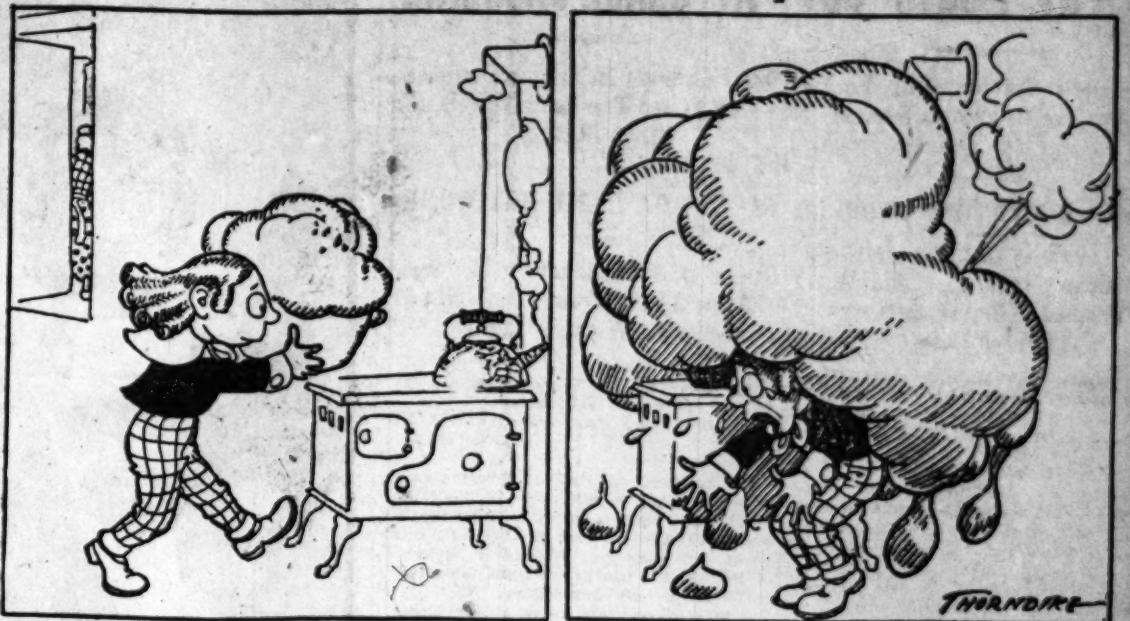
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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.

Office of the Public Printer.
Washington, D. C., April 1, 1904.
The Orrine Company, Incorporated, Washington.
Gentlemen—My attention was recently called to one of the employees of this office who had, through habits of intoxicating drink, become so inefficient as to be on the verge of dismissal. I am pleased to state that he is now a healthy man, and that he has been able to perform his duties with the same efficiency as before. This is due to the use of Orrine, which has cured him of his habit. Orrine is a powerful and reliable remedy for all cases of alcoholism, and it is the only one that can be taken without any harm to the system. It is the only one that can be taken without any harm to the system. It is the only one that can be taken without any harm to the system.

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To be without it is to be without a friend. Orrine No. 1, for voluntary treatment, buy Orrine No. 1, Price, \$1.00 Per Box.
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Sold and recommended by WOLFF-WILSON DRUG CO., 2nd St. and Washington Ave., St. Louis.

And It Surprised Him.



His Judgment.
"Well—er—hm—prisoner at the bar," began old 'Squire Peavy, a somewhat moss-grown but eminently astute Arkansas Justice of the Peace, "this court finds you guilty of klashin' this woman, as charged, and sentences you to jail for thirty days for the offense; but, as a sort of consolation, it commends to your notice, to think on while you are languishin' in durance vile, as they call it in stories, the fact that many a man has paid the penalty of a life-time of bondage for the same sort of foolishness, and you may consider yourself pretty dod-durned lucky to get off this easy."—Puck.

Employer (to new office boy): Has the cashier told you what you are to do this afternoon?
Office boy: Yes, sir; I'm to wake him when I see you coming.—Scraps.

London's Depew.
From the City Press.
Who is the most welcome guest at festive gatherings that are held in the city? The question can be answered "in once," as the saying goes, by every diner-out. Sir Edward Clarke is beyond all dispute the possessor of the distinction. His oratory, polished and eloquent though it is, does not by any means afford an explanation of the fact. Rather must his popularity be attributed to his genial personality, his loyalty as a citizen and his staunch championship of the corporation, the guilds and all our municipal institutions.

United States Antiquities.
"But you have no ruins, no grand old piles, in the country," said the complaining foreigner.
"Say, come back to the safe and let me show you my pile of Steel common certificates."—Chicago Record-Herald.

SORE AND BLEEDING GUMS
Soft and spongy gums are made healthy by the mildly alkaline and astringent properties of SOZODONT. It is the most fragrant deodorizer and antiseptic dentifrice known to the world.
SOZODONT TOOTH POWDER
the complement of SOZODONT Liquid, has abrasive properties, yet is absolutely free from grit and acid. It will not tarnish gold fillings or scratch the enamel.
3 FORMS: LIQUID, POWDER, PASTE.

Simmons Hardware Co. BROADWAY STORE.

CHRISTMAS BUYING

Only 20 More Shopping Days Until Christmas

WE cannot too strongly recommend that all who contemplate the purchase of Christmas gifts begin their shopping at once. An immense volume of business must necessarily be done in these 20 days, and those who buy now will have the double advantage of complete assortments and convenience in selecting. Christmas goods are now on display, and selections may be made here from the **most complete stocks in America** at prices which are always as they should be—the lowest.

Opera Glasses

Opera glasses stand high in favor as Christmas Gifts.

Come and see our stock. We have all the leading makes, including the celebrated Lemaire, Flammarion, Premier, Vendome and Chevalier.

Genuine Lemaire Glasses—Our own direct importation; \$4.00 to \$25.00.



Ladies' Medium-Size Opera Glasses
—Oriental or white pearl, with extra heavy gold-plated trimmings; full achromatic lenses; price, including handsome silk-lined leather case, only \$5.00.

Morocco-Covered Glasses—Fine achromatic lenses, complete, with silk-lined leather case, \$2.00.

Pearl Glasses—With lorgnette, Marquis pattern and plush case, \$7.50.

Gold-Plated Fancy Clocks

Genuine gold-plated Clocks, as illustrated, 12 inches high; several different designs; good one-day movement; worth \$3.50 each; our price, only \$1.75.

8-Day French Traveling Clocks, \$12.00 to \$75.00.
Seth Thomas Clocks, bronze gilt finish; 8-day movement, \$14.00 to \$60.00.
Nickel-Plated Alarm Clocks, 75c and up.
Watches, any grade, from \$1.00 up.

Miniature Mission Clocks

As illustrated. An exact imitation of the clocks used by the French Mission Fathers during the Eighteenth Century. A unique ornament and a good timekeeper. French oak finish; 12 inches high, 4 1/2 inches wide; good movement; runs 24 hours with one winding; hands, figures and pendulum are polished brass; excellent gift for wife, sister, mother or brother; price, each, only \$2.00. Larger sizes at \$4.00.

Sale of Keen Kutter Shears

"Seconds" Only.

All Sizes from 6 to 10 Inches.



We sell an enormous number of Shears under the famous brand of "KEEN KUTTER," all of which are of the highest quality known in the world, and are fully warranted. In the making of hundreds of thousands of Shears, it occasionally happens that a few pairs fail to come up to our high standard in finish or appearance, though the cutting qualities are just as good as the first-class goods. These shears would sell for 65c to \$1.00 per pair were it not for a few slight imperfections (mostly in the plating), but we offer them now—while they last—all sizes, 6 to 10 inches, for only 40c per pair. (These seconds are not guaranteed.)

Special Low Prices on

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

World's Fair people preparing for their going-away trip will save money by buying their trunks, bags and suit cases here.

SPECIAL—Any Bag or Suit Case in our stock—worth in regular way up to \$18.00, including our line of fine \$12.00, \$15.00 and \$18.00 goods. Choice of any, this week, for only \$10.00. Regular \$7.00 and \$8.00 values—now \$5.00.



Simmons Hardware Co.

CLOAK CO. 515 LOCUST ST. THE BUSY LITTLE CLOAK HOUSE AROUND THE CORNER.

Closed Thursday, "Francis Day" Open Friday Morning

With a Lot of Snappy, Up-to-Date Bargains.

BARGAIN 1. BARGAIN 1. SUIT DEPARTMENT.

Sample lot of Fine Suits—all kinds of handsome, stylish materials—actual value, \$18, \$20 and \$22.50—
Friday, choice \$10

BARGAIN 2. BARGAIN 2. JACKET AND COAT DEPARTMENT.

A lot of \$25 all satin-lined 3/4 Jackets \$12.50
A lot of \$7.50 Covert Jackets.....\$3.95

FUR DEPARTMENT.

\$20.00 Finest Scarf, now.....\$10.00
\$15.00 Stylish Scarfs, now.....\$7.50
\$3.75 Scarfs, very fine, now.....\$1.50

WAIST DEPARTMENT.

About 62 dozen Cashmere and Fine Albatross Waists—every new shade, new sleeve and cut full and generous—sold on Broadway at \$2.98—
Friday \$1.00

Just the right thing for a Suitable Christmas Gift.

SKIRT DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL SALE OF FINE BROADCLOTH and PANAMA WALKING SKIRTS.
\$10 All-Pleated Broadcloth Skirts, \$6.75
\$8.75 Stylish Walking Skirts, now \$5.00

EXTRA! EXTRA!

56 Coats finest Nearsel, with Hudson Bay Beaver genuine Marten and fine mink revers—value \$80—as long as they last.....\$40

COME AND SEE THEM, THEY ARE SIMPLY ELEGANT.
MONEY BACK IF NOT SUITED.

LIKE CAT, HE LIT ON NIMBLE FEET

Man Who Turns Backward Somersault Escapes Injury by
Clever Felina Trick.

Herman Ermer of Cleveland, O., who is at the City Hospital, is acquiring a reputation as a "human cat." He has a way of lighting on his feet which has twice saved him from serious injuries.

To be sure he is in the hospital, but it is not for his faculty of lighting on his feet he must be in the hospital, and the City official is not as bad as that. Ermer has only landed on his feet twice, but he is only 23 years old and is only a beginner, an amateur cat as it were, and his early performances indicate that he has it in him to make the self-lighting somersault look like a small amount of money in the years to come.

Ermer is an expert driller and handier of high explosives. His occupation in the latter particular is so hazardous that he looks on an occasional fall from a high place as recreation.

He has been working at Burke's quarry north of Cape Girardeau. He back-stepped off of a 25-foot cliff Saturday, turned a somersault in the air and landed on his feet. He was not damaged beyond an injury to his ankle. He is being treated for that. His previous fall was from a 20-foot eminence, and he landed that time on his feet also and was not hurt in the least.

The Facts in the Case.

Three drama do not a scruple make. Nor twenty grains a dram! Tell that to those who like a fake. I'm up on that, I am!

The drama is never served by grains. And the more of them you drink. The less your stricken conscience pains. Make scruple—I don't think!
—New Orleans Times-Deocrat.

AS TO COLDS

Feed a cold—yes, but feed it with Scott's Emulsion. Feeding a cold in this way kills it. You cannot afford to have a cough or cold at this season or any other. Scott's Emulsion will drive it out quickly and keep it out. Weak lungs are strengthened and all wasting diseases are checked by Scott's Emulsion. It's a great flesh producer.

We'll send you a sample free. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

LANGE

China and Glass Co.,
613 Franklin Av.,
North Side of Street.

SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Water Glasses, star pattern, clear glass, regular 50c dozen; 15c for 100.

10 Red Lamps and Globes, Rochester burner, large red globe, regular \$1.00; in this sale, complete, only \$2.98.

10 100-piece French China Dinner Sets, all useful pieces; new shape; splendid decoration; worth \$25; in this sale, complete, only \$14.98.

Wall Lamps, black finish, red, opal and blue globes; regular \$1.25; in this sale, complete, only 98c.

Hanging Lamps from \$1.50 to \$10.

Oil Chandeliers from \$7 to \$18.

LOWEST PRICE HOUSE IN ST. LOUIS. COMPARE PRICES.

LONG PATHS OF FAIR HAD NO TERROR FOR GIRL BRIDE WEDDED AFTER PILGRIMAGE



Mrs. MAY FANN

"Sun Shines Brighter Here Than Anywhere Else" Was Praise Which First View of Exposition, Following First Sight of Great World, Called Forth From Country Lass Who Never Rode on Street Car Before.

By Rose Marion.

INTO a life that had known little more than the light of the candle there came the radiance of the sun of the world of knowledge. It was my privilege to be there at the dawn.

Mrs. May Fann, unused to the world, who, made brave by love, walked 118 miles with her affianced husband that they might be married and make a home for themselves in East St. Louis, went to the World's Fair with me.

She had never been on an electric car. She had never ridden on a steam car. She never had seen a city. All was as strange to her as Mars would be to you and me.

It was a wonder day from the time we left East St. Louis until the return trip. Her husband did not go with us because it was necessary for him to work half of Thanksgiving Day. According to appointment, he met us in the afternoon.

As we left her home for her day of days she gave but one commission to her brother-in-law, who remained behind. That was, "Don't forget your partner." Which, in its beautiful fondness and concern, is characteristic of the girl wife that saw her first city Thursday.

She said naught as the street car went quickly on its journey, loaded to the step. I felt sorry that her first ride must have

as its associates in her memory straps and crowds, but she didn't mind, and only smiled when we swayed back and forth. She forgot that she must hold on to things when we climbed the bridge approach and came to the sight of the Mississippi river. It was her first view of the stream that is one great part of my life, but my anxiety that she should see it well was no greater than her desire. She looked at the steamboats with none of the longing that is always mine, let it be a fatboat or a whale-back.

Trolley Ride Was Like Ocean Wave.

"No," she said, "my eyes aren't large enough to see it all. How can there be so much in the world?"

Down the avenues of asphaltum she went and seemed glad that the walk was so easy when touched by her feet. They know rough ways, her feet, and the walks of the Fair are so much better than railroad tracks that from her came no complaint of the "magnificent distances" of the Fair.

Down the streets of the Model City we went to the Liberal Arts palace. Off in the Chinese section she had espied a Chinese salesman. She had never before seen one of his race. She scanned his silk-lengthened cue, his dress of blue and his strange shoes.

"That's one that I told you about," said her sister-in-law, but the little bride said nothing. Her eyes told her wonder at this man, who could wear man's clothes and didn't.

From him she turned to the silks, the fans and the strange toys of the Chinese exhibit. Peacock blue silk embroidered in dragons pleased her fancy.

Mr. Francis Carl of the Chinese commission was standing near. I spoke to him and told her the story of his sister who went far across land and sea to paint the portrait of the Empress of China. That distance seemed long to her, though perhaps it was no greater to the young artist than were the miles traveled by the bride from her home in Thompsonville to East St. Louis. One was lightened by love, the other by that fire blaze that is made to burn by genius.

"How good the sun feels," she said as we walked out of the palace up the side hill to the Government building. "The sun shines brighter here than it does in any other place I ever saw," she said, "because this is such a beautiful city."

Not a Second Look at Cannon.

Which is, I think, the prettiest compliment the Fair has been paid in this season of compliments and word prizes.

Like a true child of nature, she reveled in the green bank that is on one side of the roadway to the Government building.

I was proud to take her into Uncle Sam's big house. It was warmer in there, and she could stand without shivers before the great animals that are there, captured and dead, that we may study them without fear. They were beyond the range of her geographical knowledge, and she asked the names of some of them. Dogs and birds from the North Pole country interested her, but she thought the dogs were wolves. Not a second look at the big guns of the navy and the other death-dealing instruments that surround them. There must be much peace in the southern Illinois country.

From guns I took her to the big bird cage, only to find that all the birds had gone South or to some other home country for the winter and that none were there except the warblers that live in the park. Fair or no Fair.

"At 'Das Deutsche Haus' on the hill the German bells pealed a welcome as sweet as that they gave to President Roosevelt Saturday.

She stood wistfully before the wedding presents of the German Emperor. Did she remember that there had been no wedding presents for her?

She enjoyed the Tressen sale, with its wonderful mirror effects—where one mirror reflects another until the room seems of endless length but seemed equally pleased with the log cabin of Gen.

Grant. The latter was like things she knew, and for that reason it welcomed her as do familiar faces in strange places. I was particular to take her to the Fine Arts palace, that she might see the portrait of the Empress of China, painted by Miss Kate Carl. She looked hard at the long protected finger nails and again at the good face of the old Empress. Then she turned to the picture of an American child and took delight also in that.

Organ Pipes Like Trees Charm Her.

We went into Festival Hall that she might hear the music of the great organ and see the crowd of givers of thanks. She listened to the words of Archbishop Glennon and those of Rabbi Harrison with much interest. The great organ seemed taller to her than the trees of her own forest.

More wonderful than all were the Cascades. For many minutes she watched the water tumble over itself as it flowed down into the lagoons. The rainbows formed by the sun shining through the water bouquets made her glad. As we walked down the steps she turned back many times to look again at what to her was all the grandeur of Niagara.

She was anxious to see the Philippine. Knowing that she could see strange life better at the Thanksgiving dinner for the children of all nations at the Model Playground, we went thither. She liked it better than anything else at the Fair, and you will grant that her taste was good.

Little cannibals, baby Alnus, papooses, children of the Esquimaux, Negroes, Daughters of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and all the others of the World's Fair colony of children, even Regina Roy, pet of the press bureau, were swinging, see-sawing and making sand houses and riding elephants side by side. Members of the committee with Mr. Betts, Mr. Seigh and Mrs. Hirschfield at their head were fixing tables and making ready for the feast.

The country girl liked the Alnus. The Alnus woman smiled until we forgot her tattooed upper lip, and said, "How do." There was no need of wandering farther

over the grounds. My guests had found that which delighted them most, and that which they understood best.

Wanted to Stay on the Ground.

They laughed when the pygmies gobbled ice cream, and they understood the bashfulness of the children who in their excitement ate but little. With the rest of us, they appreciated the remarkable compliment paid to President Francis by his own messenger boys.

The man who made the Fair has received in the last year nothing more indicative of true esteem than the three cheers given by those same messenger boys, who let turkey grow cold that they might honor President Francis. She appreciated, too, the work of the handsomely groomed women, led by Mrs. Francis, who helped little hands to find forks and made knives to work.

When the feast was done we went gateward to meet the "partners." They were there, and with them we "did" the Pike Automobiles, the Ferris wheel, intramural cars, the miniature railway had no charms for her. Neither had the gondolas, nor the scenic railway, nor the shoot-the-chutes, nor the magic whirlpool. She preferred the ground, and was satisfied just to walk down the Pike and to see that which was shown at the doorway.

She stayed until the lights shone over all the fairland, and then she was sure she had had her fill of wonder.

Strange that the Fair had the same general effect upon her as it had upon President Roosevelt. Unlike him she did not say "charmed," so many times, but she looked as pleased, and concluded with "No one should be sorry for money spent seeing the Fair. It's worth it all."

Success.

From Puck: With great care and much labor a caterpillar climbed up a tall spear of grass. When he reached the top, he stood on his hind end and waved his front end in the air.

"Just as I feared," said he. "Success doesn't bring happiness." But then he turned and climbed down, for the caterpillars are wiser than men.

RESCUES AND WEDS "INSANE" SOLDIER

Brave Bride of Sergt. Whitty
Braved Waves in Small Row-boat for His Sake.

BANGOR, Me., Dec. 1.—Out of the Port McKinley Military Hospital for the Insane, which is situated on Cobscook Bay, has come a romance in which Sergt. Whitty of Bangor and Miss Gardiner of Boston, employed in the household of Col. Cahill, commander of Fort McKinley, were the principals.

A month ago, after having made arrangements for his marriage to Miss Gardiner, Sergt. Whitty went suddenly insane, and was then confined in the hospital at the fort, in a cell with barred windows facing the sea. The girl was not allowed to see her lover, whom she declared to be as sane as any man.

One night Miss Gardiner got leave to go to the city, and there she procured a small rowboat, in which she rowed through a storm to the fort, hauling the little craft up directly under her lover's cell window. By means of a bar that she had brought, the grating of the window was pried off, and the sergeant, who seemed not only sane but overjoyed, climbed out, and through the howling gale the pair made their way to Portland, where at 1 o'clock in the morning they were married by justice of the peace, routed out of bed for the purpose.

Having been married, the pair made their way back to the island fort, and Sergt. Whitty was just about to cross from his cell through the window when he was discovered by the guard.

Since then the sergeant has been confined in the guardhouse nights, but he and his wife are happy, for his time will soon be out, and then they expect to live happily ever after.

DO YOU KNOW
All the merchants advertise "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in the Post-Dispatch every Friday?

SIXTH AND SEVENTH STREETS

ST. LOUIS, MO.

OLIVE AND LOCUST STREETS

5000 Yards Camel's Hair Kerseys,

\$1.50 Value, Very Special, at 58c a Yard

Again our ready cash prevailed. Five thousand yards highest class short-horn camel's hair kerseys bought for almost one-third regular price and on sale tomorrow at a proportionate retail reduction. We have seen a good many bargains in our time, but none better than this one. It is a bargain in the truest sense of the word.

58c A YARD. Value \$1.50.

These fabrics are in 52 and 56 inch widths. Colors are oxford, gray, brown, green and navy blue, with raised red silk dashes. It's the reigning material for unlined tailor-made suits, three-quarter length coats, tourist and children's coats. Critically examine the quality and style of this cloth and you will certainly pronounce it the best bargain offered this season. 58c a yard.

A suit pattern of these goods would make a most acceptable Christmas present. Colors are the choicest and most popular produced, and you will have no difficulty in pleasing the one who is to receive the gift. We have arranged these goods prominently and conveniently on two large tables in our Cloth Department—third aisle—Main floor.

Corset Prices Much Reduced

At such low prices as we are naming for these Corsets, selling should be at the height of activity. Seldom it is you have an opportunity to buy reliable quality Corsets at such a trifling price.

48c for fine Corsets, slightly soiled, sizes 18, 19, 20; new styles worth \$1.00 and \$1.50 each.

75c for a choice line of sample Corsets, all in new styles and worth \$1.50 and \$2.00 each. This is a value that cannot be duplicated again.

48c for Dressmakers Forms, for fitting silk waists, in bust measures 34, 36, 38. Regular price of these is \$2.00.

(Second Floor—Seventh and Olive.)

Ladies' Neckwear Sale

Ladies' Silk and Washable Ties that have sold the entire season at 25c and 50c each reduced Friday to exactly one-fifth original prices. The lots comprise neckwear that has become soiled through counter handling, but which are in no way damaged for use as they can be readily cleaned. Many of them you would not think mused enough to go at this price. Values are positively 25c and 50c each, choice Friday at two prices—5c and 10c.

Now is the time to buy your handkerchief lace. An exceptionally large stock of fine Valenciennes and Mechlin laces suitable for trimming handkerchiefs is now ready.

(First Floor.)

Sale of Men's Suits and Overcoats at \$15.00

These are regular \$20 garments. Tailored throughout by hand and made in the latest styles of most fashionable and durable materials. The suits are cut in both single and double breasted style with broad, concave shoulders, hand-felled collars, and shape-retaining fronts. The overcoats and raincoats are made of the choicest fabrics, and at the price we are offering them are most extraordinary values. Not a garment in the lot can be duplicated elsewhere in St. Louis for less than \$20—our price Friday and Saturday is a very special one. \$15

Choice of Any Boy's Suit in the Store—\$5.00

Your choice of any Russian, Sailor, Norfolk or Double Breasted Knee Pants Suit in our stock, including all suits that sold from \$7.50 to \$10 each—Friday at the one price—\$5. This is a most opportune bargain, coming right at the time when buying is heaviest. If you appreciate an extraordinary value you will not let this chance slip by. Not a suit in the lot that sold for less than \$7.50. Many were \$10.00. Choice Friday—\$5

(Second Floor—Locust Street Section.)

Grocery Specials for Friday and Saturday

The extraordinarily low prices in our Grocery Department for Friday and Saturday are conclusive proof of the great value-giving power of this section.

SANTA CLAUS APRICOTS, No. 2 cans, worth 30c per can, special, 25c
STATE FAIR E. J. PEAS, worth 13c per can, special, 10c; dozen, \$1.00
POT CORN, fancy N. Y. Shoepeg, worth 13c per can, special, per dozen \$1.25
WHITE HORSE TOMATOES, regular 13c per can; special, dozen, \$1.15; per can, 9c
FANCY EVAPORATED APRICOTS—per pound \$1.15
WHITE HORSE PUMPKIN, regular price 10c; special, 4 cans for 35c

BEST EASTERN GRANULATED SUGAR, special, 18 pounds for \$1.00
SANTA CLARA PRUNES, fancy new goods, worth 10c, 2 pounds for 15c
ORIOLE JUMBO PRUNES, finest goods packed, worth 25c per pound; special, per pound 20c
LENOX SOAP—special price—9 bars for \$1.00
MONARCH ASPARAGUS, 45 spears to a can, per can 50c; dozen \$3.40
CLARION SALMON—regular price 12c per can; special, dozen, \$1.10; special, 10c
[Fourth Floor.]

Garland's

IF GOWNED by Garland—IF HER WRAP is a Garland garment, then is she SURE of a perfect fit—SURE of correctness in every detail—SURE of artistic effect—SURE of material from noted factories and SURE of satisfaction in Garland's popular prices.

Suits A Suit Sale for Friday not to be missed.

Handsome Velvet Suits, correct in every detail of fit and make—rich fabric, plain or crushed pile—Jackets lined with rich satin, worth \$15.00. Also an equally fine lot of suits made of high-grade Cheviots, tailored perfectly—all at uniform price \$15.00

A satisfactory Suit, all-wool serge or cheviot, tailored, satin-lined Jacket—worth \$12.99—Friday \$7.98

Jackets Garments which meet the wants, all in quality, style and price.

A \$10.00 Garment, 42-in. long, of the best Cheviot, tailored and put up for critical buyers \$15.00

Another 42-in. garment—a little less in quality, but worth \$10.00 at a real bargain in a common sense Jacket—good in every particular and worth \$5.50 \$3.98

Furs Never so popular as today.

Genuine Mink Neckpieces, at \$75, \$55 and low as \$25
Genuine Ermine Neckpieces, \$50, \$30 and low as \$20
Genuine Chinchilla Neckpieces, \$35 and low as \$22.50
Fox and Sable Isabella Scarves, \$50 and low as \$25.00
Fox Muffs, \$25.00 and low as \$15.00

SPECIAL Double French Marten Scarves, tails and silk cord—worth \$7.50—\$3.98

Waists A representative Garland garment—a great Friday Special. Never in our experience were we able to give such value as here: Superb quality Peau de Soie and bright Taffeta Silk Shirt Waists, elegantly made, wide and narrow box pleats, French knots and stitching, bishop sleeves, tabs or bows at neck—worth \$5.50 and \$7.00 and up to \$10.00—Friday \$2.98

Garland's

409 N. Broadway.

Mail Orders shipped promptly and just as you order—you are never dissatisfied here.

409 N. Broadway.

William Barr Dry Goods Company

FLATS FOR RENT.

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RDINAND AV. 8820—Three-room

INDOAH AVE., 2805A—New
 furnace, etc.; \$300. **Hanftoe**
WAS AV., 2718—New three-room
 bath, marble, laundry, etc. **E. D.**
Lucas & Co.
R. AV., 2504-26 N.—New bath,
 4 rooms and bath, new central
 heating, new furnace and
 hot water. **M. F. Hynson, 929 Ch.**
R. AV., 2816-18 N.—New bath,
 4 rooms and bath, new central
 heating, new furnace and
 hot water, shades, fixtures to suit. **E.**
1928 Chestnut st.
1914 AV., 5309—Cherles 4-room
 and modern bath. **Chas. Harris & W.**
out at st.
ST. ST., 2819-42—Rooms and bath
 and modern bath, new central
INTON HIL., 4652—Detached single
 bath, new central heating, new
 conveniences; open; \$45. **H. L.**
CLIDE BLG.
INTON HIL., 4652—Detached single
 bath, new central heating, new
 conveniences; open; \$45. **H. L.**
CLIDE BLG.
BELLE F. BL., 4660—Three-room
 bath; also new unfurnished
 furniture. **Chas. Harris & W.**
out at st.
HORSES AND VEHICLES
14 Words, 2c.
For Sale
ON HAND—From 75 to 100
 draft, driving and general pur-
 poses. **Chas. Harris & W.**
out at st.

cash or easy payments. E.
Broadway and 44th Claxon.

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D'S FAIR BUILDINGS

BEST MATERIAL FOR SALE.

14 Words, 20c

FOR SALE,

Painted porch columns, 8 inches
x 6; 22 paneled posts, 8 inches
square; 22 paneled bases, 8
inches square; 22 paneled
posts, 8 inches square;
22 paneled bases, 8 inches
square. Transportation Bldg., World's
Fair.

GOLD GOODS—For sale, furniture,
kitchen and restaurant car.
Hotel, 5900 Delmar av.

CRYSTALS—For sale, 12,000
pieces. Ask quality crystals. Inquire
at Hotel, 5900 Delmar av.

ldg., World's Fair.

MEDICAL
14 Words, 2nc.
FOR WOMEN ONLY.
G. Raymond's Menstrual Regulator
cures all disorders of anatomy
no danger; no interference with
2 to 5 days; we have never
failure; mail orders promptly filled.
H. G. Raymond Remedy Co.,
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Use Chamber's E. Relief
Best! Safest! Only reliable! Take
of your druggist or send for
days and "Relief to End" in
mail. Chamber's Medical Co.
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TO EXCHANGE.
14 Words. 20c.

CHINA CLOSET WANTED-
oak extension table and 6 leaf
for large rug or china closet.
w/ matting to exchange. Ad. S 11
A.
To exchange small grocery
store have good Ad. W 114, Post-11

ST. LOUIS MARKETS WERE CLOSED

They Will Participate in the Inauguration of President Roosevelt.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Col. Edwards, chief of the insular division of the war department, made formal announcement today on behalf of the President that the Philippine Purchase Exposition will be kept in this country until March 5 to participate in the inauguration ceremonies. It is said that the government will defray the expenses of the organization while it remains in this country.

TRANSIT DERANGED NEAR FAIR

Rock Island Passengers Are Shaken Up In Full View of Lindell Entrance.

The engine of an inbound Rock Island train from Kansas City jumped the track at 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning just west of the tunnel through which pedestrians pass to and from the Olive and Delmar cars to the Lindell entrance to the World's Fair.

It plowed along for some distance and was about to stop when it was brought to a stop.

No body was hurt but the passengers in the five cars which constituted the train were shaken up.

The train was running on the Webaah tracks. It seems that the derailment was due to the engine running in on an open switch. Traffic was delayed for an hour.

The train was running at reduced speed. If it had been running faster the engine and perhaps the cars would have gone over the embankment to the north of the track.

IRON MARKET NOW STRONGER

Soaring Prices Fail to Stop Advance in Buying.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 1.—Actual developments from week to week as well as the well founded expectation that 1937 to be a year of large iron and steel in the United States, says the Iron Trade Review, give a very strong tone to the market. The upward movement in advance in Northern pig iron has taken place, and bar iron is from \$1 to \$3 higher, while old material has advanced in all markets.

While the number of pig iron buyers the past week was small compared with that of a month or six weeks ago, they represented in not only a large number of firms, but also the ability of producers to get successively higher prices. The upward movement in the Pittsburgh district has brought 12,000 tons at an advance over last week's price, and Central Western pipe works have taken 20,000 to 25,000 tons, some of this iron being on the basis of \$2 at furnace, but never before holding firm and estimating that their price will be \$4 in the coming months. Iron has advanced to \$15.50 and \$15.50 at Central Western furnaces, with furnaces concerned in the future of the steel corporation. The latter is starting these furnaces this week in addition to two last week. Coke prices continue to advance, and in fact in the coming months, a long-term contract of the Lackawanna Steel Company, indicating that no large dependence will be put on the recent advance in ovens for many months.

A steel bar meeting will occur early in December and advance to \$17.50, which is a practical certainty. Plates and shapes will come up in the middle of the month, to the city of Chicago will have to be passed. This is the first time in recent months that the steel bar market has been reached after looking over the contracts under which the buildings were constructed, which provide for the removal of the steel from the city of Chicago in 90 days from the close of the World's Fair.

As a plan is under foot to continue the fair for two years or longer, it is probable that the amendment will be agreed for very soon.

Judge Philips May Sit Here.
The United States Court of Appeals will convene in St. Louis next Monday for the regular December term. The circuit judges in attendance will be Judge Walter H. Sweeney, Judge William Vandewater and Judge William C. Hook. Judge Ames R. Thayer of St. Louis will probably not be present with the court, as he is little better than a few weeks ago when he was compelled to give up active court work because of illness. Judge John F. Philips of the United States District Court for the western district of Missouri, withdrew with the court.

Wrong Address Was Given.
In the Post-Dispatch of Nov. 30, an error was made in the address of George W. Blatterman, fined \$50 for striking his wife, on 513 Vernon avenue, St. Louis. Mr. Blatterman lives at 563 Vernon avenue.

Rev. Folk Changes Charge.
Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 1.—Rev. H. B. Folk of this city, brother of Joseph W. Folk, governor-elect of Missouri, has accepted a call to the Baptist church at Midway, Mo.

Asylum Patients See Fair.
Dr. Henry S. Atkins, superintendent of the St. Louis insane asylum, sent 25 of his patients to the fair to see the World's Fair. The care of a corps of attendants. In the course of the summer Dr. Atkins has been entertained at 100 of the before mentioned under his care, and reports that the experiment has been most successful. Each of the patients was given money for lunch and carfare.

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DEATHS.
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Gov. Dockery does not know where he will live after his term expires January 9. He may follow the example of his immediate predecessors—Governors Francis, Stone and Stephens, and reside in St. Louis—and he may not.

"I thought about that subject for half a day," he said at the Southern hotel Thursday. "and it bothered me so much I gave it up. I will not decide it until it is necessary."

Before becoming governor of Missouri, Gov. Dockery practically lived in Washington, as he was a congressman for sixteen years. His legal residence was at Gallatin, Davies County, and in case he

decides to seek re-election to Congress he will probably go there eventually. Since removing to the capital Mrs. Dockery died and, as the governor's children are all dead, he has no family tie to attract him to any particular place.

Before removing to Gallatin, Gov. Dockery's home was at Chillicothe, and his wife is buried there.

ITALY WILL OFFER A STATUE

Impression Created by Acceptance of Germany's Gift Prompts Consideration of More.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Italy may present this country with a statue of Julius Caesar to stand beside that of Frederick the Great at the Army war college.

The Italian government was deeply impressed with the glittering ceremony attending the acceptance of the Kaiser's gift and thinks that a closer friendship between Washington and Rome might result from a similar present.

It is believed that it will take many years to work out the statutory scheme outlined by President Roosevelt. France's gift of a bust of Washington has not yet formally been accepted.

MINERS TAPPED LEITER TELEPHONE, HEARING NEWS

Conversation Between Sheriff Stein and Leiter's Attorney, Henry W. Platt, Overheard, Discloses Their Plans to Strikers

THIRTY-FIVE MEN ARRIVE, SIX LEAVE THE MINES

Petition to Be Sent Gov. Yates Asking for the Recall of the Unnecessary Militia Companies—Fake Stories Denounced.

BY ROBERT N. PEARSON,
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ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 1.—Within the next few days it is probable that a petition will be forwarded Gov. Yates asking that the militia sent to Ziegler be recalled. A movement to that effect is being planned here by those who think that the state should not be compelled to pay the cost of keeping strike troops at Ziegler.

Thirty-five more miners were brought in by a roundabout route without molestation or demonstration and without militia being brought into service as guards.

The miners claim that Henry R. Platt, who is in charge of the Leiter interests during the absence of Joseph Leiter, the power behind Sheriff George J. Stein, sheriff of Franklin County. They claim to have a verbatim report of a conversation between Mr. Platt and Sheriff Stein. Attorney Platt admits that the miners have tapped his telephone wire, and that gives a semblance of authenticity to their claims.

According to John W. Shadowen, Mr. Platt telephoned Sheriff Stein the night that he was shot at while venturing from West Frankfort, where he had taken Joseph Leiter, who took a train for Chicago. The conversation, as given by the miners, was to the effect that Mr. Platt told the sheriff that he was not favorably impressed with the experience of being shot at.

"I am going to wire Gov. Yates tonight," the miners state Mr. Platt said, "asking him to send militia here. Will you sanction my request by sending him a message to the same effect?"

"With pleasure," the sheriff is reported to have said.

The miners also claim to have overheard a conversation in which the man in charge of the searchlight phoned that a man was approaching the town on horseback. Telephone directions to collect mounted guards, go after the man and shoot him if necessary, were issued, says the man who was listening at the telephone.

A later message was heard to the effect that the searching party had found nothing but the prints of horses' hoofs.

A report was sent to Chicago today that several men were wounded at Benton and taken to Heron, the reported battle at Ziegler Monday night. Sheriff Stein said tonight that it was absolutely without foundation.

Of the 23 men that went into Ziegler Tuesday six left today and went back to West Frankfort, from which they were escorted to the points from which they embarked.

Winchester "pump" or magazine guns were shipped to the mine today and Attorney Platt stated over the telephone that there would be no relaxation of vigilance.

It seems as though Leiter is making a last stand to win what has been, up to this time, a losing fight. He has brought in hundreds of men, most of whom have left him. He has an expensive plant, just made ready to produce profitably, and interest on the cost being a large amount and the expenses of maintaining guards and for the transportation of men, has undoubtedly mounted well toward six figures.

Mysterious Story
of Firing at Night.

There was more firing at Ziegler last night, 300 shots being exchanged according to the report received by Sheriff Stein from his son, who is the deputy in charge at the Leiter properties. Sup. C. W. Miller refused details beyond stating that there was considerable firing, to which the company's machine guns responded. Sheriff Stein stated that the firing began near the pump house, which is two miles from Ziegler, and then spread around the camp.

Deputy Sheriff Stein, at Ziegler, called on Leiter's men to form a posse, but they refused to serve. Sheriff Stein said that he could not say whether most of the firing was on the inside or outside of the town. He said that the Leiter forces reported that they heard a squeal during the firing but were unable to find anyone injured. Assistant Adjutant-General R. R. Reece, who is at Ziegler, stated this morning that the shooting last night was of the same character as previous firings, continuing at odd periods up to 2 o'clock this morning.

The militia, according to Col. Reece, took no part in the shooting last night. Col. Reece leaves for Springfield today to make his report to Gov. Yates on the situation at Ziegler.

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RUMORS HEARD OF BIG CORPORATIONS

Million Dollar Deals Talked of Regarding Occupancy of Lincoln Trust Building.

MAY BE NEW TITLE CO.

Name of A. A. B. Woerheide Mentioned in Rumors, but He Denies Definite Knowledge.

In connection with the future occupancy of the offices and vaults in the Lincoln Trust building practically vacated a few months ago by the Lincoln Trust Co., the report is current regarding the organization of more than one million dollar corporation.

The most persistent report is that a new title company is being organized to occupy the vacated offices. The report goes further and mentions the name of A. A. B. Woerheide as principal promoter of the new corporation and specifies that his plan is to purchase the Lincoln Trust building and also to have the new title company absorb the title department of the Missouri Trust Co. and also the Real Estate Title Co. In some of its repetitions, the report is amplified to include the Title Guaranty Trust Co. in the consolidation.

The Lincoln Trust building is owned by the Lincoln Real Estate Co. All the stock in this company is held by the Lincoln Trust Co. That corporation is now consolidated with the Missouri Trust Co. It has moved its banking offices to the Lincoln Trust building, and Olive streets, but retains its real estate department in the Lincoln Trust building.

Under the new title company, the Missouri Trust Co. and the Missouri Trust Co. are scattered, too, its title department being housed on the south side of Chestnut street, west of Eighth street.

Local estate agents and brokers point out that it is not likely that the Missouri Trust Co. will be consolidated. When it was formed the title department of the Lincoln company was merged in.

Under the law a certain amount of time is necessary before the change of a name of a corporation can be legally used.

Brokers look for an announcement of the new million dollar corporation, so soon as the consolidated trust company formally begins business as the Missouri-Lincoln.

Mr. Woerheide is not prepared to admit that there is any immediate probability of directors of the Lincoln Trust Co. when it was consolidated, and will be an officer of the consolidated company.

When the Post-Dispatch asked Mr. Woerheide about the details of the proposed corporation he smiled.

"If I knew anything definite that I could say, I would be glad to do so," he said with a manner of much friendliness. "But, really, I don't. I've heard these reports often, but I don't know where they are coming from. So far as I know there has never been a meeting of directors of the Lincoln Trust Co. at which the future disposition of the Lincoln Trust Co. has been considered."

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Witness my hand and the seal of said company this 28th day of December, 1904.

D. ABELLES, President,
St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 28, 1904.

Holders of Terminal Hotel and Arcade Co.'s bonds desiring to anticipate above call may, at any time prior to Jan. 1, 1905, obtain par and accrued interest for their holdings by tendering the same to the office of the Trust Company of the City of St. Louis, Mo.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Land Co. will be held at the office of the company, 315 o'Connell building, St. Louis, Mo., at 9 o'clock a. m., on Monday, Dec. 19, 1904, for the purpose of electing seven directors for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting. Polls are open from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.

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